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[CONFIDENTIAL.]

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## A BILL

To authorise the council of the Waratah Municipality to borrow certain moneys ; for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto ; and for that purpose to amend the law relating to local government.

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**B**E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

**1.** This Act may be cited as the " Waratah Municipal Short title. Gas Loan Act, 1915."

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*Waratah Municipal Gas Loan.*

**2.** The council of Waratah Municipality may borrow a sum not exceeding three thousand pounds for the purpose of extending its system of public gas supply within the municipality. Power to borrow.

**3.** The provisions of the law for the time being in force relating to local government shall apply to such borrowing and to this Act, except the provisions relating to— Application of local government law.

- (a) the procedure precedent to the obtaining of the Governor's approval;
- (b) the obtaining of the Governor's approval to a proposed loan;
- (c) the taking of a poll of ratepayers; and
- (d) The levying of a loan rate.

**4.** Any money not exceeding the aforesaid sum borrowed by the said council between the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and the passing of this Act for the aforesaid purpose, shall be deemed to be borrowed under this Act: And such borrowing is hereby validated. Validation of action in anticipation of passing of this Act.

